

INTERIM AMENDMENT
TO
FEDERAL SPECIFICATION

DRUMS, SHIPPING, STEEL DOT-6A, DOT-6B AND DOT 17C

This interim amendment was developed by the General Services Administration, Federal Supply Service, Washington, DC 20406, based upon currently available technical information. It is recommended that Federal agencies use it in procurement and forward recommendations for changes to the preparing activity at the address shown above.

The General Services Administration has authorized the use of this interim amendment as a valid exception to Federal Specification PPP-D-736C, dated February 15, 1975.

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1.2.1 in line 11: Delete "three" and substitute "two".

1.2.1 in line 14: Delete "loops" and substitute "hoops".

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3.5 Delete the paragraph and substitute as follows:

"3.5 Capacity. Each type I, II, III, and IV drum shall have a rated or nominal capacity of thirty (30) gallons with an actual capacity of not less than 30.6 gallons nor more than 30.85 gallons. Each type V drum shall have a rated or nominal capacity of thirty (30) gallons with an actual capacity of not less than 31.2 gallons no more than 31.5 gallons. Each type VI drum shall have a rated or nominal capacity of fifty five (55) gallons with an actual capacity of not less than 57.20 gallons no more than 57.75 gallons."

3.11, Delete the paragraph and substitute as follows:

"3.11 Finish. Unless otherwise specified, the finish of each drum shall be roller coated or spray painted. The parts of the drum (body, top and locking ring) shall be coated separately. Unless otherwise specified, enamel shall be as specified in 3.2.4 (see 6.2). Drums shall, prior to painting, be given a coat of primer or otherwise treated to assure paint adhesion."